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Mail Stop Amendment

In re application of:

Kazutoyo MAEHIRO

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09/820,539

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Group Art Unit: 3714

Examiner

For

: GAME MACHINE, SERVER SYSTEM, INFORMATION SERVICE METHOD AND

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Mail Stop Amendment

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| filed statement. | | |

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

Transmitted herewith is a **Reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

A Request for Extension of Time.

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed April 18, 2006, in which a three month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on July 18, 2006, the present paper is being submitted.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this Paper.

Remarks to the claims begin on page 5 of this Paper.